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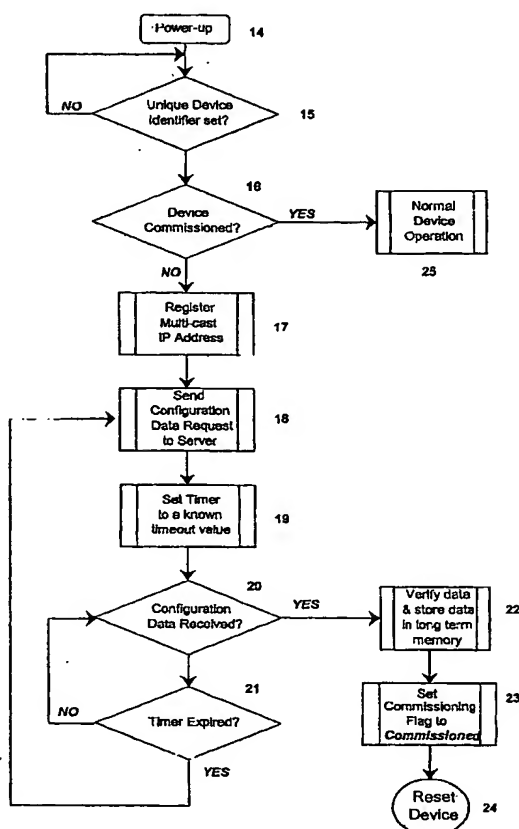
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prising a front end device networked to a plurality controller devices.
Each controller devices is adapted to transmit a configuration data re-
quest if not sufficiently configured to perform its appointed role and
the front-end device is adapted to respond to such a configuration data
request by broadcasting a configuration data response containing the
required configuration data to all the controller devices. Each broad-
cast configuration data response further includes sufficient information
to enable each controller device to determine whether to act on or ig-
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